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SUBJECT: NSF/SFCP. USE OF INTEREST EARNINGS: INTERNATIONAL
CONFERENCES ON EARTHQUAKES.

REF: A. STATE 38182, B. STATE 22015

1. NSF PROPOSES TO USE INTEREST EARNINGS
FROM JOINT FUND (REF. A, PARA 4 (6)) FOR PARTIAL FINANCING
OF A SERIES OF INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES ON EARTHQUAKES.
CONFERENCES WOULD BE JOINTLY ORGANIZED BY U.S. AND YUGO-
SLAVIA, AND HELD IN THE LATTER COUNTRY.

2. NSF REQUESTS THAT THIS PROPOSAL BE INCLUDED IN AGENDA
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OF FORTHCOMING U.S.-YUGOSLAV JOINT BOARD MEETING UNDER
POINT 5 OR 7 (REF. B).

3. BEGIN FYI. NSF WOULD SELECT AN AMERICAN INSTITUTION TO
ORGANIZE SUCH CONFERENCES IN COOPERATION WITH A YUGOSLAV
INSTITUTION, PREFERABLY THE INSTITUTE FOR EARTHQUAKE ENGI-
NEERING AND ENGINEERING SEISMOLOGY IN SKOPJE. YUGOSLAV

ORGANIZING INSTITUTION WOULD RECEIVE A JOINT BOARD GRANT FROM INTEREST EARNINGS TO COVER CONFERENCE COSTS IN YUGOSLAVIA AND PARTIAL COSTS OF TRAVEL FOR FOREIGN PARTICIPANTS.

CONFERENCE SERIES MAY INCLUDE SCIENTIFIC, ENGINEERING, AND SOCIO-ECONOMIC ASPECTS OF EARTHQUAKE. PREFERRED TOPIC FOR FIRST CONFERENCE IS EARTHQUAKE PREDICTION. EXPERTS IN THIS AREA WOULD BE INVITED ON GLOBAL BASIS BY A SELECTION COMMITTEE COMPOSED OF US AND YUGOSLAV ORGANIZATIONAL COMMITTEES. TRAVEL FOR INVITED PARTICIPANTS (50 TO 60) WOULD BE PAID WITH FOREIGN CURRENCIES (DINARS, INDIAN AND PAKISTANI RUPEES AND POSSIBILITY EGYPTIAN POUNDS). DATE OF FIRST INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE PROBABLY IN LATE SPRING 1978. END FYI.
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